

DAILY DEMOCRAT-FORUM

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BUILT IN THE ROCKS

HOUSES AT AMALFI CLING LIKE VINES TO SIDE OF MOUNTAIN.

A STREET OF STONE STEPS

It Would Be an Ideal Place for an American Crook to Make Escape—A Boat Ride in Blue Grotto.

Kaiser's Pension Aurora, Florence, Italy, July 31.—Have indeed tried, but simply couldn't get started on a letter sooner. Mr. Watson has let us all off for a rest this afternoon. We have a few hours, then will take one of the carriage rides around the city.

I think I left my narrative at Amalfi, the convent hotel. The night we were there a crowd of us went down to the little fishing village to the religious carnival. They had fine lights and an excellent band, and everybody applauded the classic selections. These Italian crowds insist on encores. It was the quaintest place I have seen in this country, the town built in this crevice with houses many stories high or perched on the rocks, and streets like little tunnels, mostly steps, scrambling through them. The market place was down two stories below the driving road and there were other lower streets. If good and lively American crooks had such a place they never could be caught.

Most picturesque barefoot peasants sat on the town hall steps till almost midnight listening to the band play Greig and other like music. The rugged hill tops back from the sea had monasteries on top of each, and from the little valley of the town Amalfi (not one just described above) houses clung to the whole mountain side and were reached by a street of solid steps. We didn't go up that one.

The village Amalfi at the foot of our hotel also had tunnel streets with many steps, black as pitch at night and dim even at noonday with houses built solidly across the top. One real central street led through the town and these bored into the walls from it.

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I met a Delta Gamma at the art gallery this morning who is from Northwestern university at Evanston, but is at Illinois university this year. She was back at initiation and met Ruth Montgomery. A delightful girl is at another hotel and going south tomorrow. Have also seen some D. A. R.'s, but generally when I didn't have my binoculars.

(Continued Thursday.)

MAY CORWIN.

MIXED YEARLINGS AT \$7.60.

J. C. Eaton Markets String of Short-fed Steers and Heifers.

J. C. Eaton, member of the firm of Rascoe & Eaton, big live stock shippers of Barnard, Mo., says the St. Joseph Stock Yards Journal, had in two cars of yearlings of his own feeding Tuesday that sold at a good figure.

There were fifty-three head of mixed steers and heifers in the shipment which average 730 pounds, and brought \$7.60. They were short-fed on the grass and returned Mr. Eaton a neat profit for the feed consumed.

Nodaway Shippers Busy.

The St. Joseph Stock Yards Journal of Tuesday had the following personal notices about Nodaway county stock men:

William Rainey of Arkoe, Mo., shipped in a load of hogs for today's session of trade.

Joseph Halker and Harry Kysor, well known stockmen of the Hopkins Mo. district, disposed of swine here today.

T. C. Tibbels of Sheridan, Mo., a heavy contributor to the local receipts, had a car of good hogs on sale today.

Ed Woods of Sheridan, Mo. was listed among today's arrivals at this market. Mr. Woods disposed of a car of hogs.

Wright, McMahan & Barrett, prosperous farmers and live stock shippers of Skidmore, Mo., were represented on today's market with a car of hogs.

Band Concert Tonight.

The regular weekly band concert will be given tonight instead of Thursday night. This will enable everybody to enjoy the concert this evening and the circus tomorrow evening. The following program will be rendered by the Maryville Concert band:

March—Crescent Queen.....Losey Selection—Sweetest Girl in Paris.....Howard Intermezzo—In the Jungle....Arthur Paraphrase—Lorely.....Nesvadba Turkish Towel Rag.....Allen (By request)

Medley march—O Mr. Dream Man.....Von Tilzer Overture—Poet and Peasant....Suppe March—Battle Royal.....Jewell

On Vacation Visit.

Mr. Will Smith of Kansas City is spending the week in the city with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Q. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Herndon and son went to Orrsburg Tuesday to visit Mrs. Herndon's mother, Mrs. C. C. Hilsabeck.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 28, 1912

NO. 74.

MAY GET THEIR MAIL ALL A SECRET YET

HOLDERS OF LOCK BOXES TO BE SERVED, SAYS TELEGRAM.

TO RELIEVE CONGESTION LOOKING FOR BIG TIME

Postmaster General Working on Plan to Make Possible Distribution of Double Mail on Monday.

Arrangements for the Three Days' Picnic Completed and Park in Fine Condition—Other News.

During the closing hours of congress Representative Jim Mann, the Republican floor leader, slipped an innocent looking amendment into the appropriation bill covering postoffice work that is causing postmasters and their forces generally to do lots of hard figuring.

The amendment provided that in first and second class postoffices no mail shall hereafter be delivered between midnight Saturday night and midnight Sunday night, except special delivery matter. Unless your newspaper or your letter bears a special delivery stamp it must remain in the postoffice until Monday.

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It will make no particular difference with the employees of the Maryville office. A man must be kept on duty to attend to the forwarding and receiving of mail from the trains and he will "throw" the local mail between times.

In the large cities where the mail is very heavy it is causing considerable planning to meet the changed conditions without crippling the service. As the regular force cannot handle two days' mail and get it out in the usual time Monday morning it has been suggested that a double force be put on at midnight Sunday night, but there is no double force of eligibles present anywhere. Postal employees cannot be called in off the street at random and put to work. The postmaster general seems to be about to vacate a part of his order in reference to keeping the boxes closed, as will be seen from the following dispatch from Washington in a morning paper Wednesday:

Plans were perfected by Postmaster General Hitchcock today whereby the administration of the new law prohibiting the delivery of mail on Sundays will have no serious effect upon the handling of important mail matter.

Holders of lock boxes at first and second class postoffices will have access to them as usual, although no mail deliveries will be made by carriers on the street or at postoffice windows. Mail for hotel guests and newspapers will be delivered to them through their lock boxes by a simple arrangement of having that mail sorted on the railway mail cars before it reaches its destination. Such mail will be regarded as "transit matter" and will be distributed immediately upon its arrival at the offices of destination, thus practically insuring a speedier delivery to the addressees than heretofore has been the case.

This distribution will require a minimum of Sunday work and the distribution of other mail received on Sunday will be made after midnight of Sunday, so that it may be delivered by the carriers on their first tour on Monday.

After all day conferences with the experts of his department Postmaster General Hitchcock tonight issued a statement explanatory of his administration of the new law. His assurance is that there will be no embarrassment to the business public and that through the arrangements he outlines urgent mail matters will reach its destination promptly. Orders necessary to carry Mr. Hitchcock's plans into effect will be issued immediately.

Attend the Maryville Business College. It prepares for life. Opens Sept. 2.

reaper taking three active workers from the Christian church. Mrs. William French was buried last Wednesday, Mrs. Tobias Goodwin last Thursday and Mrs. Richard on Tuesday of this week. These women were all strong Christian women and will be greatly missed in the community.

The remains of Grandma Brainard were brought here Monday and the funeral services were held at the Presbyterian church at 4 o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. Walton officiating. Mrs. Brainard was a resident of Hopkins some years ago, but for some time has been living at the Old Ladies' home at Cedar Rapids, Ia., where she died.

DIED AT MOBERLY.

The Body of Jacob Riley Was Brought to Maryville Wednesday Morning for Burial.

Jacob Riley, a former resident of this county, died Monday night, August 26, at the home of his son, G. W. Riley, 538 Barrow street, Moberly, Mo.

Mr. Riley had been ill for a year, and a month ago became bedfast.

The body was brought to Maryville Wednesday morning from Moberly and taken to Oak Hill cemetery, four and one-half miles east of Maryville, near the old Riley home, for burial, at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning. Mrs. Riley died on the 12th day of February, 1897. Five of Mr. Riley's children were with him at his death, and accompanied the body to Maryville for burial.

Jacob Riley, son of James and Rachel Riley, was born in Boone county, Indiana, Nov. 26, 1839, and after serving two years in the southern army emigrated to Missouri in 1864. In 1866 he married Miss Torisa Wood of Nodaway county, Mo., daughter of George C. and Abigail Wood.

Nine children were born to them, six of whom survive: E. N. Riley of Denver, Mo.; G. W. Riley of Moberly, Mo.; Mrs. Charles McHicks of Valley Junction, Ia.; Mrs. S. A. Tripp of Albert Lea, Minn.; J. H. Riley of Valley Junction, Ia., and C. F. Riley of Alma, Neb.

STEER PRICES CLIMB ON.

A Clay County Feeder Received \$10.60 a Hundred Here Today.

Clay county, Missouri, threw another ringer Tuesday when R. W. Groomer of Kearney marketed steers on the Kansas City market at \$10.60 a hundred pounds, or 10 cents higher than the best previous sale there, and as high as any cattle have sold for in Chicago.

Each steer weighed 1,484 pounds and brought \$157.30. The car load, seventeen head, brought \$2,684.98.

They had been fattened on yellow corn, molasses and blue grass. Mr. Groomer bought the steers in Kansas City last fall when they averaged 972 pounds, at \$5.25 a hundred.

John B. Thompson and wife are moving to Bedford this week to make their home.

Fred Wolfers spent Sunday in Atchison, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Evans of Kansas City visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guyan Mallett.

Mr. George Evans of California visited his mother, Grandma Evans, and his sister, Mrs. Al McGuire, the past week.

Mrs. Maude Douglas is moving from Bedford and will occupy the cottage recently vacated by Ed Goodwin until she gets possession of her own home.

Miss Kate Browne entertained the Salad club last Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Wooldridge gave a New England dinner last Sunday complimentary to her guests, Mrs. Hosea Torrance and Miss Mary Wooldridge of Maryville. The other guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Downer, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Martin, and Mrs. Clara Stewart of Maryville.

Mrs. C. E. Donlin gave a very pretty domino party to about twenty of her friends Monday afternoon. A delightful time was enjoyed by the ladies. Mrs. A. F. Bienert won the prize, while Mrs. Dr. Cossins received the consolation prize.

Mrs. Lon Hughes entertained the Salad club Tuesday afternoon. Five hundred was the entertainment for the afternoon. Mrs. E. C. Wolfers, Sr., winning the prize.

The death toll has been severe on Hopkins the past week, the grim

5 DAYS
More and the Business College will open with twice as many students as ever before. Scores have already made all arrangements. Parties having board and rooms are urged to file them now. We need rooms for 300 students. This year promises to be our best.

On Visit to Kansas City.
Mrs. J. S. Shinabarger and daughter Mildred, and Mrs. S. E. Satterlee went to Kansas City Wednesday morning for a week or ten days' visit with relatives.

CONCLAVE MONDAY

ODD FELLOWS TO HOLD FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING HERE.

BIG TORCH LIGHT PARADE

5,000 Visitors Are Expected and Speakers Will Include J. F. Bryant, J. W. Wilkerson, Gov. Dockery.

Arrangements are being made by members of White Cloud Lodge of Odd Fellows for a big time next Monday, when the fourth annual conclave of the district, composed of Atchison, Holt, Gentry and Nodaway counties, takes place. The committees having the entertainment of the visitors in charge are working hard and a large crowd is expected.

In addition to the large number of visiting Odd Fellows there will be many Rebekahs also. The committees, from the reports already received, expect an attendance of five thousand or more, including a number of prominent speakers and some excellent degree teams.

The program is not yet fully made up, but it will include the following: During the morning it will open with a band concert, an address of welcome will be delivered by George Pat Wright, and this will be followed by a response on behalf of the visitors by John F. Bryant, past grand master.

After the dinner hour there will be addresses by Grand Secretary J. W. Wilkerson of St. Louis and Hon. A. M. Dockery of Galiatin, president of the Odd Fellows' Home. There will be another band concert and several free street attractions during the day.

At night there will be a grand torch-light parade in which all Odd Fellows will take part. At the lodge room there will be floor work for members of the order, and two degrees will be conferred, one initiatory and one first degree. Several good degree teams are expected, but it has not been decided yet which ones will put on the work.

The committee is anxious to furnish an abundance of entertainment, and would still be glad to hear from any attractions desiring concessions, so we are informed by Chester Bennett of the entertainment committee.

This will be the first time the conclave has been held in Maryville, and it will prove an interesting event. All Odd Fellows are urged to come and take part in the enjoyments of the day and meet their brothers from all over the district.

On an Extended Visit.

Mrs. Claude C. Whitehurst and children from Glen Flora, Texas, passed through Maryville Sunday en route to Hopkins to visit Mrs. Whitehurst's aunt, Mrs. J. Arch McMaster. She will go from there to Bolckow to visit her uncle F. P. Montgomery, and aunt, Mrs. Perry Messick, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. Whitehurst left the south in June, coming to Sedalia, where she spent one month visiting her stepmother and family, Mrs. A. C. Moodie, formerly of Graham, Mo. She has since been visiting at the home of J. A. Whitehurst, near Clyde. Mr. Whitehurst contemplates joining his family some time this fall and they will remain until about December 1st, before returning to Texas.

Miss Melvin to Walla Walla.

Miss Ruby Melvin will leave Thursday morning for Walla Walla, Wash., where she will teach in the public schools the coming year. Miss Melvin and Miss Ruby Lorance returned this week from their trip to Detroit, Niagara Falls, Montreal, New York, Washington, D. C.; Baltimore, Philadelphia and other cities of the north and east, making much of the journey by water.

Took an Appeal.

The suit of William E. Allen vs. Horace Jones, has been appealed from the Justice court to the circuit court. It is a suit on account.

Miss Helen Dunn of Bolckow spent Tuesday in Maryville visiting friends and relatives.

THE WEATHER

Cooler and somewhat unsettled tonight; Thursday fair.

Latest Post Cards 1 cent each at Crane's.

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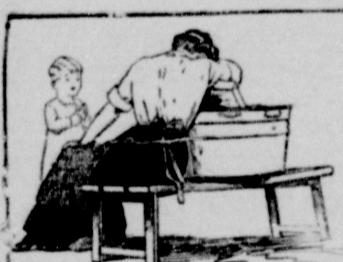
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Better Clothes for less money.

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FACTS SUPPRESSED AND ISSUES EVADED BY TAFT TARIFF BOARD

By ROBERT KENNETH MACLEA,
Formerly Consulting Expert of the Tariff Board.

Under the pressure of promise to fight chicanery and fraud in tariff legislation, I deem it a public duty not to withhold the facts in my possession relative to the investigation of the cotton manufacturing industry. Regretful that my experience with the board warrants such conclusions, I am compelled to present the following indictment:

I.

That the tariff board, in its report on manufacturers of cotton (Schedule D) has suppressed findings of vital importance to the cotton industry, to the public and to the government, but invaluable to the special privileges of a few New England manufacturers who were permitted by Senator Aldrich to write the cotton schedule to suit themselves.

II.

That the tariff board has perverted other facts, thereby avoiding exposure of tariff injustices that have benefited the few at the expense of the many manufacturers.

III.

That the tariff board has not, as stated by President Taft to congress, drawn any conclusions that would "be valuable in advising the congress and the people" of the changes that ought to be made to make more equitable their (the wool and cotton schedules) effects. The board did not attempt to draw conclusions, "scientific" or otherwise, from the "scientifically" collected data, but side-stepped that responsibility by arguing that such deductions as its data justified were not called for under the specifications of its employment.

IV.

That the tariff board's report was arranged so as to be incomprehensible or laymen; that tables were deliberately distorted or emasculated if not suppressed, and that a congressman would require the services of a statistician and a clerk six months to make head or tail of the jumble of data presented as a basis for intelligent tariff revision.

V.

That the tariff board avoided altogether investigating certain phases of tariff graft hidden in "Jokers" of the Payne-Aldrich law.

VI.

That the tariff board falsely reported that it was impossible to obtain abroad

cost data on weaving necessary to enable

it to make an intelligent comparison with costs at home; that the board was offered opportunities for obtaining such data, but did not use them; that such foreign data as were obtained were in some cases suppressed and in others were inadequate for honest comparison, although so utilized.

VII.

That the tariff board betrayed the confidence of American manufacturers by publishing data that should have been held for confidential information of legislators; that competitors were given thereby valuable trade secrets, while the foreign manufacturers divulged nothing of similar character or importance.

VIII.

That the tariff board's treatment of economic questions vitally affecting the relation of the tariff to the prices exacted from consumers was disingenuous and misleading.

IX.

That the tariff board has proved not to be the "nonpartisan" and scientific instrument promised by President Taft; that its members displayed inexperience in business, incompetence and extravagance. I have been forced reluctantly after a year's intimate association to accept the opinion that the tariff board has been nothing more than an effective cog in a "standpat" political machine; that some of the men who clamored most loudly for a tariff board and some of the men appointed thereto worked all the time complacently in the knowledge that the creation of the board was a scheme to prevent genuine tariff reform as long as possible by "gumming the cards and delaying the game," a charge frequently made, but which I for long time discredited.

X.

That such facts as the tariff board has reported sustain the charge, as to both the wool and the cotton schedules, that the consumer has been robbed outrageously as a consequence of excessive duties and that the profits have not gone into the pockets of the laborer to "maintain an American standard of living."

—From New York World

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

For St. Joseph Guest.

Mrs. O. C. Hanna entertained Wednesday afternoon for her sister, Mrs. George Toel of St. Joseph.

For Dinner Guest.

Miss Lora Stockton will entertain Wednesday evening, complimentary to her guest, Mr. Harvey Meacham, a young newspaper man of Denver, Colo., who is connected with the Denver Times.

Welcome the Sisters.

Twenty-four women of St. Mary's parish were at the parish school building and home of the Sisters in charge Tuesday noon to welcome the teachers on their return from Atchison, Kan., where they have been at Mt. St. Scholastica convent during vacation. The living rooms and schools had been thoroughly cleaned and made ready, and to crown it all a veritable banquet was spread and ready for the entire company. The table for the Sisters was centered with a large white cake, surrounded by pink roses and containing the word "Welcome." A fine afternoon was spent socially and the Sisters are making ready for the opening of school the 9th of September with light hearts after such a royal welcome from the parishioners and the pastor, Rev. Father Anselm, who was the guest of honor. The Sisters received about fifty jars of fruit and other gifts for their larder which they appreciate very much.

FAIR TRIAL WAS IMPOSSIBLE

During the Days of Witchcraft Unfortunate Were Brought Into Court to Be Condemned.

When the witchcraft delusion of 1692 seized the province the people would not wait for the workings of the established tribunal of justice. It was too slow to suit them. No doubt they feared that it would be "reactionary" or inclined to be too respectful to the letter of the law. So they cried out for a special court to hustle along the trial of the witches, and Governor Phipps meekly yielded to the clamor and named seven judges to conduct the trials.

It was distinctly a popular court, and was controlled absolutely by the popular will. Not a one of the seven judges was a lawyer. Two of the judges were clergymen, two were physicians and three were merchants. The common law was thrown aside, rules of evidence were ignored, and the judges and juries were left untrammeled by any "quibbles of the law" to follow their own feelings and the popular will.

Says Washburn in his "Judicial History of Massachusetts": "The trials were but a form of executing popular vengeance. Juries were intimidated by the frowns and persuasions of the court and by the outbreakings of the multitude that crowded the place of trial to render verdicts against their own consciences and judgment." He cites one case, that of Rebecca Nurse, in which the jury actually had the courage to bring in a verdict of not guilty. Whereupon "the accusers raised a great outcry and the judges were overcome by the clamor." The jury was sent back, returned with a verdict of guilty, and the woman was accordingly executed. Thus promptly and effectively did the popular will succeed in bringing about the judicial decision it wanted.—Boston Herald.

NOT A COMPLETE SUCCESS

Workings of Brother Bogus' Conscience Evidently Were Merely in the First Throes.

"Ever since I was done converted last week," remarked a certain colored citizen in a chastenedly triumphant tone, "muh conscience gnaws me when I thinks o' what a sinner I was befo' I seed the blessed light. I was false to de Lawd and untrue to muh feller men, and muh conscience gnaws—"

"Do it gnaw yo' enough, Brudder Bogus," grimly interrupted old Brother Gumpshun, "to make yo' pay me back dem fu' dollahr yo' borried off'n me yeah befo' last?"

"Wy-w'y, sah!—yo' knows how clost de times is, dese days, and well, sah, here's hafter dollar, dat I'll pay yo' now, and—"

"Hub! If dat's de best yo' kin do, sah yo' conscience ain't gnawin'—it's dese uh-nibbin'."—Satire.

Miss Mary O'Brien will give a typewriting demonstration at the Maryville Business college Thursday.

A \$400 FIRE LOSS.

Glenn Swinford's Barn at Bedison Burned Wednesday Morning—Cause Unknown.

Fire completely destroyed the barn of Glenn Swinford, on his farm, four miles from Bedison, Wednesday morning about 7 o'clock. The fire started in the hay mow, but its origin is unknown. One hundred bushels of corn, six tons of hay, some tools and machinery were burned. The loss is estimated at \$400. Mr. Swinford had \$300 insurance on the building.

Back From Trip.

Circuit Clerk Eugene Rathbun and family returned Tuesday night from a trip to Kansas City and Knobister, Mo., in Mr. Rathbun's automobile. The trip covered about five hundred miles, which was made without accident and in good time. The trip home was made in thirteen hours. Mr. Rathbun says he brought home no elephant hides or lion heads and saw no big game except a few bull moose.

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Barran \$36.20
Canyon \$36.20
Deer Park \$36.20
Lombard \$36.20
Billings \$44.00
Helena \$43.30
Butte \$43.30

North Dakota Points

Blackmer \$17.95
Enias \$19.40
Fargo \$20.45
Fairmount \$18.20
Samers \$20.20
Tyler \$18.40
Woodhull \$19.00

South Dakota Points

Aberdeen \$17.40
Blunt \$17.65
Columbia \$15.55
Doland \$15.30
Gettysburg \$18.90
Pierre \$18.95
Yankton \$8.70

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Allegro.

1. Au - to - mo - biles are ma - chines of rap - id - i - ty. Built to ex - hib - it a
2. I could make all of the plice-men on bi - cy - cles. Do im - i - ta - tions of

chauf - four's stu - pid - i - ty. Like - wise for la - dies to some - times go shop - ping in,
pet - ri - fied i - ci - cles. Cause a cat - as - tro - phe with all fa - cil - i - ty,

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How to See Colorado
and the Yellowstone

By all means plan your summer vacation to include Colorado. A week of that glorious air will do you good for a lifetime. And that wonderful sky! Even Italy cannot match it for clear, deep, turquoise beauty. Then the mountains—they tower above you everywhere seeming to raise your spirit with them into the cool and restful cloudland. It's a new experience.

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The trip out and back is part of the fun, if you go on one of the Burlington's luxurious limiteds. It does not cost any more to go that way and there isn't any good reason why you shouldn't have the best there is.

I am employed by the Burlington Route to answer all your questions. I'll tell you the cost, the best places to see, send you our handsome folders, and even arrange to reserve a Pullman berth, if desired, if you'll tell me about when you would like to go. When you write me, a postal will do. W. E. Goforth, ticket agent, Burlington Route.

P. S.—The date of the Pike's Peak Region annual "Shan Kive" and Summer Carnival has been set as Aug. 27, 28 and 29. It will be held at Colorado Springs—Manitou, and will be larger and grander than ever. You ought to arrange to be there at that time, if possible.

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Call for Progressive Party Convention.

To the Members of the Progressive Party in Nodaway County: Gentlemen—You are hereby requested to assemble in convention at the Empire theater in Maryville, Mo., on Saturday, August 31st, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing ten delegates and ten alternates from this county to attend the state convention of the Progressive party in St. Louis, Mo., on Sept. 3d, 1912, and represent Nodaway county in said convention.

Also for the further purpose of nominating a full Progressive ticket for the offices of representative, sheriff, treasurer, prosecuting attorney, judge of the north district, judge of the south district, surveyor and coroner, all of said offices to be filled at the election this coming November.

The county convention herein called will also take such steps as may be deemed best looking to the completion of a Progressive party organization in Nodaway county.

This county convention will be a mass convention, and every voter of the county who is a member of the Progressive party will be entitled to be present and participate.

The downstairs or main floor of the theater will be reserved for the members of the party, and no person will be admitted to said floor until he has delivered to the doorkeeper a ticket in the form which will be prepared and furnished by the county committee, and which ticket must be signed by the party desiring admission, and also state his residence, that he is a voter in Nodaway county, a member of the Progressive party, and that he will support at the polls in November the Progressive ticket, national, state and county. Blank tickets may be secured of the committee on the day of the convention. The gallery of the theater will be open to the public, unless it should be necessary to clear it to make room for members of the party.

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Read this case:

A. W. Hawkins, 42 W. Ninth St. Maryville, Mo., says: "Some four years ago I had a weak, sore and aching back and I used Doan's Kidney Pills. This remedy gave me so much relief that I have not been obliged to take a kidney medicine since. Doan's Kidney Pills have my highest endorsement."

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Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit.

But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back, a lame, weak or aching one. Would you experiment on it?

You will read of many so-called cures.

Endorsed by strangers from far-away places.

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Good Farm for Sale

I offer for sale the John McDowell farm lying 1 mile north of Maryville, consisting of 243 acres, all suitable for cultivation. Has several good wells, a fine spring, good eight room house, large barn and good fencing. Is 1/2 of a mile from school house. Must be sold to close up an estate, will make good price and carry good loan on place. Inquire of SARAH McDOWELL

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Protection from loss by windstorms, fire or lightning is business, either in country or city. You owe it to your self and family. Consult me now for special rates and terms, or phone me and I will call.

CHARLES HYSLOP,
General Agent.

out! Look out! Look out.... The ter - ri - fied peo - ple all shout... When

I'm at the wheel of my au - to - mo - bile, And my speed eigh - ty miles to the hour or a - bout, Oh, I

love to pick out, pick out.... Old la - dies so flor - id and stout.... And

fill them with fears as I yell in their ears, "Look out! look out! look out!" out!"

The Chauffeur's Song

No. 271.

STILL A DAY OF REJOICING

Frenchmen Never Forget to Celebrate the Anniversary of the Fall of the Bastille.

The anniversary of the destruction of the Bastille, that grim old fortress identified with royal despotism and cruelty, which took place July 14, 1789, was enthusiastically celebrated throughout France. When the Bastille was stormed and its defenders beaten, the victors expected to release a large number of prisoners, but under the gentle rule of Louis XVI, the old prison was all but empty. The vaults restored to light only seven prisoners.

"Three of these," says Lamartine, "gray-haired men, were shut up legitimately and had been from family motives withdrawn from the judgments of the ordinary courts of law. Tavernier and Withe, two of them, had become insane. The third was the Count deSolages, 32 years before sent to this prison at his father's request. Whether he had been guilty of some crime or was the victim of oppression was an inexplicable enigma. The other four prisoners had been confined only four years. They were arrested in Holland on the requisition of the bankers they had defrauded. These seven prisoners of the Bastille released, caressed, even crowned with laurels, carried in triumph by their liberators like living spoils snatched from the hands of tyranny, were paraded about the streets and their sufferings avenged by the people's shouts and tears. The intoxication of the victors broke out against the very stones of the place and the embrasures torn from the towers were soon hurled with indignation into the ditches."

The site of the Bastille is now marked by a lofty column of bronze dedicated to the memory of the patriots of July, 1789, and 1830.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Large bookcase, suitable for office, also small cook stove, burns either wood or coal. Malotte, 216 South Market street. 26-28

FOR SALE—Two iron beds complete with springs and mattress, table, chairs, stands, etc. Can see them Saturday morning from 9 to 12. 411 North Mulberry. 27-29

INSURE with Hyslop. Fire to nado (farm or city), plate glass, automobile liability, accident or damage health. Contract and court bond, promptly executed.

WANTED—Want respectable girl to go to city with me to work and be companion, also learn hairdressing, massage, and be in business with me. Particulars soon. Box 30, Skidmore, Mo. 27-29

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FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping, close in. 314 East Fourth. Farmers phone 62. 27-29

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WANTED—Position by young man as bookkeeper, collector. Will clerk in any department when not engaged on books. Address "C 45 D. F." care Democrat-Forum. 28-30

FOR RENT—Modern 10-room house suitable for dwelling or rooming house, located corner Fourth and Buchanan. Inquire D. F. Angel, Hanamo 264 Red, or 226 Blue. 24-tf

LOST—On West Fourth street, an amethyst necklace. Finder return to Democrat-Forum. 28-30

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Our thorough routine examination with Mediaometer and trial case enable us to obtain results that make the use of glasses a pleasure.

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FACTS SUPPRESSED AND ISSUES EVADED BY TAFT TARIFF BOARD

By ROBERT KENNETH MACLEA,
Formerly Consulting Expert of the Tariff Board.

Under the pressure of promise to fight chicanery and fraud in tariff legislation, I deem it a public duty not to withhold the facts in my possession relative to the investigation of the cotton manufacturing industry. Regretful that my experience with the board warrants such conclusions, I am compelled to present the following indictment:

SUPPRESSED

That the tariff board, in its report on manufactures of cotton (Schedule D) has suppressed findings of vital importance to the cotton industry, to the public and to the government, but inimical to the special privileges of a few New England manufacturers who were permitted by Senator Aldrich to write the cotton schedule to suit themselves.

PERVER-

That the tariff board has perverted other facts, thereby avoiding exposure of tariff injustices that have benefited the few at the expense of the many manufacturers.

EVASION

That the tariff board has not, as stated by President Taft to congress, drawn any conclusions that would "be valuable in advising the congress and the people" of the changes that ought to be made to make more equitable their (the wool and cotton schedules) effects." The board did not attempt to draw conclusions, "scientific" or otherwise, from "scientifically" collected data, but sidestepped that responsibility by arguing that such deductions as its data justified were not called for under the specifications of its employment.

EMASCULATI-

That the tariff board's report was arranged so as to be incomprehensible to other legislators or laymen; that tables were deliberately disassociated or emasculated if not suppressed, and that a congressman would require the services of a statistician and a clerk six months to make head or tail of the jumble of data presented as a basis for intelligent tariff revision.

FAVORITISM

That the tariff board falsely reported that it was impossible to obtain abroad

cost data on weaving necessary to enable

it to make an intelligent comparison with costs at home; that the board was offered opportunities for obtaining such data, but did not use them; that such foreign data as were obtained were in some cases suppressed and in others were inadequate for honest comparison, although so utilized.

That the tariff board betrayed the confidence of American manufacturers by publishing data that should have been held for confidential information of legislators; that competitors were given thereby valuable trade secrets, while the foreign manufacturers divulged nothing of similar character or importance.

That the tariff board's treatment of economic questions vitally affecting the relation of the tariff to the prices exacted from consumers was disingenuous and misleading.

That the tariff board has proved not to be the "nonpartisan" and scientific instrument promised by President Taft; that its members displayed inexperience in business, incompetence and extravagance. I have been forced reluctantly after a year's intimate association to accept the opinion that the tariff board has been nothing more than an effective cog in a "standpait" political machine; that some of the men who clamored most loudly for a tariff board and some of the men appointed thereto worked all the time complacently in the knowledge that the creation of the board was a scheme to prevent genuine tariff reform as long as possible by "gumming the cards and delaying the game," a charge frequently made, but which I for a long time discredited.

That such facts as the tariff board has reported sustain the charge, as to both the wool and the cotton schedules, that the consumer has been robbery outrageously as a consequence of excessive duties, and that the profits have not gone into the pockets of the laborer to "main-tain an American standard of living."

—From New York World

NEWS OF SOCIETY AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

For St. Joseph Guest.

Mrs. O. C. Hanna entertained Wednesday afternoon for her sister, Mrs. George Toel of St. Joseph.

For Dinner Guest.

Miss Lora Stockton will entertain Wednesday evening, complimentary to her guest, Mr. Harvey Meacham, a young newspaper man of Denver, Colo., who is connected with the Denver Times.

Welcome the Sisters.

Twenty-four women of St. Mary's parish were at the parish school building and home of the Sisters in charge Tuesday noon to welcome the teachers on their return from Atchison, Kan., where they have been at Mt. St. Scholastica convent during vacation. The living rooms and schools had been thoroughly cleaned and made ready, and to crown it all a veritable banquet was spread and ready for the entire company. The table for the Sisters was centered with a large white cake, surrounded by pink roses and containing the word "Welcome." A fine afternoon was spent socially and the Sisters are making ready for the opening of school the 9th of September with light hearts after such a royal welcome from the parishioners and the pastor, Rev. Father Anselm, who was the guest of honor. The Sisters received about fifty jars of fruit and other gifts for their larder which they appreciate very much.

A \$400 FIRE LOSS.

Glenn Swinford's Barn at Bedison Burned Wednesday Morning—Cause Unknown.

Fire completely destroyed the barn of Glenn Swinford, on his farm, four miles from Bedison, Wednesday morning about 7 o'clock. The fire started in the hay mow, but its origin is unknown. One hundred bushels of corn, six tons of hay, some tools and machinery were burned. The loss is estimated at \$400. Mr. Swinford had \$300 insurance on the building.

Back From Trip.

Circuit Clerk Eugene Rathbun and family returned Tuesday night from a trip to Kansas City and Knobster, Mo., in Mr. Rathbun's automobile. The trip covered about five hundred miles, which was made without accident and in good time. The trip home was made in thirteen hours. Mr. Rathbun says he brought home no elephant hides or lion heads and saw no big game except a few bull moose.

FAIR TRIAL WAS IMPOSSIBLE

During the Days of Witchcraft Unfortunates Were Brought Into Court to Be Condemned.

When the witchcraft delusion of 1692 seized the province the people would not wait for the workings of the established tribunal of justice. It was too slow to suit them. No doubt they feared that it would be "reactionary" or inclined to be too respectful to the letter of the law. So they cried out for a special court to hustle along the trial of the witches, and Governor Philips meekly yielded to the clamor and named seven judges to conduct the trials.

It was distinctly a popular court, and was controlled absolutely by the popular will. Not a one of the seven judges was a lawyer. Two of the judges were clergymen, two were physicians and three were merchants. The common law was thrown aside, rules of evidence were ignored, and the judges and juries were left untrammelled by any "quibbles of the law" to follow their own feelings and the popular will.

Says Washburn in his "Judicial History of Massachusetts": "The trials were but a form of executing popular vengeance. Juries were intimidated by the frowns and persuasions of the court and by the outbursts of the multitude that crowded the place of trial to render verdicts against their own consciences and judgment." He cites one case, that of Rebecca Nurse, in which the jury actually had the courage to bring in a verdict of not guilty. Whereupon "the accusers raised a great outcry and the judges were overcome by the clamor." The jury was sent back, returned with a verdict of guilty, and the woman was accordingly executed. Thus promptly and effectively did the popular will succeed in bringing about the judicial decision it wanted.—Boston Herald.

NOT A COMPLETE SUCCESS

Workings of Brother Bogus' Conscience Evidently Were Merely in the First Throes.

"Ever since I was done converted last week," remarked a certain colored citizen in a chastenedly triumphant tone, "muh conscience gnaws me when I thinks o' what a sinner I was befo' I seed the blessed light. I was false to de Lawd and untrue to muh feller men, and muh conscience gnaws—"

"Do it gnaw yo' enough, Brudder Bogus," grimly interrupted old Brother Gumpshun, "to make yo' pay me back dem fu dollars yo' borried off'n me yeah befo' last?"

"Wy-wy, sah!—yo' knows how clost de times is, dese days, and—well, sah, here's haifer dollar, dat I'll pay yo' now, and—"

"Huh! If dat's de best yo' kin do, sah, yo' conscience ain't gnawin'—it's des ub-nibblin'!"—Satire.

Miss Mary O'Brien will give a typewriting demonstration at the Maryville Business college Thursday.

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ENORMOUS THREE RING CIRCUS
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First and third Tuesdays of each month until further notice; so you want to get in on this deal. Children's sizes, under 12 years of age, we just cut the prices in two. "There's going to be something doing," We have an unlimited supply on hands to select from. Talk it over among yourselves. Remember the days.

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Herald Square Theatre, New York

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Music by
SILVIO HEIN

Allegro.

1. Au - to - mo-biles are ma-chines of rap - id - i - ty. Built to ex - hib - it a
2. I could make all of the plice-men on bi - cy - cles Do im - i - ta - tions of

chauf-four's stu - pid - i - ty, Like - wise for la - dies to some-times go shop - ping in,
pet - ri - fied i - ci - cles, Cause a cat - as - tro - phic with all fa - cil - i - ty,

Or on re - la - tions or friends to be drop - ping in. Ter - ri - ble men - a - ces
To dogs and cats who are shy on a - gil - i - ty. Trol - leys are am - a - teurs,

to the pe - des - tri - ans, Bi - cy - cles, ba - bies and plice-men e - que - tri - an.
harm - less as vas - e - line, Stacked against an - tos that break - fast on gas - o - line.

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No. 271.

Look

CHORUS.

out! Look out! Look out!.... The ter - ri - fied peo - ple all shout,... When

I'm at the wheel of my au - to - mo - bile, And my speed eight - ty miles to the hour or a - bout, Oh, I

love to pick out, pick out.... Old la - dies so flor - id and stout,... And

fill them with fears as I yell in their ears, "Look out! look out! look out!" out!

The Chauffeur's Song.

No. 271.

How to See Colorado and the Yellowstone

By all means plan your summer vacation to include Colorado. A week of that glorious air will do you good for a lifetime. And that wonderful sky! Even Italy cannot match it for clear, deep, turquoise beauty. Then the mountains—they tower above you everywhere seeming to raise your spirit with them into the cool and restful cloudland. It's a new experience.

But you must also see the Yellowstone to complete your vacation. And it's easy if you take advantage of the reduced fare rates offered to summer tourists. Your ticket will take you through Colorado, the Royal Rockies and on to Salt Lake City and then swing you northward to the wonderful Yellowstone country. Neither pictures nor words can give you an idea of the beauty of the geysers, mud volcanoes, brilliantly colored rocks, mysterious rivers, thundering waterfalls, precipices, chasms, canons and the million-year old mountains you will see there. Your trip will give you a fresh enthusiasm.

The trip out and back is part of the fun, if you go on one of the Burlington's luxurious limiteds. It does not cost any more to go that way and there isn't any good reason why you shouldn't have the best there is.

I am employed by the Burlington Route to answer all your questions. I'll tell you the cost, the best places to see, send you our handsome folders, and even arrange to reserve a Pullman berth, if desired, if you'll tell me about when you would like to go. When you write me, a postal will do. W. E. Goforth, ticket agent, Burlington Route.

P. S.—The date of the Pike's Peak Region annual "Shan Kive" and Summer Carnival has been set as Aug. 27, 28 and 29. It will be held at Colorado Springs—Manitou, and will be larger and grander than ever. You ought to arrange to be there at that time, if possible.

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Call for Progressive Party Convention.

To the Members of the Progressive Party in Nodaway County: Gentlemen—You are hereby requested to assemble in convention at the Empire theater in Maryville, Mo., on Saturday, August 31st, 1912, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing ten delegates and ten alternates from this county to attend the state convention of the Progressive party in St. Louis, Mo., on Sept. 3d, 1912, and represent Nodaway county in said convention.

Also for the further purpose of nominating a full Progressive ticket for the offices of representative, sheriff, treasurer, prosecuting attorney, judge of the north district, judge of the south district, surveyor and coroner, all of said offices to be filled at the election this coming November.

The county convention herein called will also take such steps as may be deemed best looking to the completion of a Progressive party organization in Nodaway county.

This county convention will be a mass convention, and every voter of the county who is a member of the Progressive party will be entitled to be present and participate.

The downstairs or main floor of the theater will be reserved for the members of the party, and no person will be admitted to said floor until he has delivered to the doorkeeper a ticket in the form which will be prepared and furnished by the county committee, and which ticket must be signed by the party desiring admission, and also state his residence, that he is a voter in Nodaway county, a member of the Progressive party, and that he will support at the polls in November the Progressive ticket, national, state and county. Blank tickets may be secured of the committee on the day of the convention. The gallery of the theater will be open to the public, unless it should be necessary to clear it to make room for members of the party.

Witness our hands this 22d day of August, 1912, by order of the Nodaway county Progressive committee.

W. W. GLASS, Chairman.

F. P. ROBINSON, Secretary.

Protection from loss by windstorms, fire or lightning is business, either in country or city. You owe it to yourself and family. Consult me now for special rates and terms, or phone me and I will call.

CHARLES HYSLOP,

General Agent.

Leading Question.

She—if you could have only one wish what would it be?

He—It would be that—that—oh, if I only dared to tell you what it would be."

She—Well, go on. Why do you suppose I brought up the wishing subject?—Boston Transcript.

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Which is Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by a Maryville Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented. The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit.

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You will read of many so-called cures. Endorsed by strangers from far-away places.

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Maryville, Mo.

STILL A DAY OF REJOICING

Frenchmen Never Forget to Celebrate the Anniversary of the Fall of the Bastille.

The anniversary of the destruction of the Bastille, that grim old fortress identified with royal despotism and cruelty, which took place July 14, 1789, was enthusiastically celebrated throughout France. When the Bastille was stormed and its defenders beaten, the victors expected to release a large number of prisoners, but under the gentle rule of Louis XVI, the old prison was all but empty. The vaults restored to light only seven prisoners.

"Three of these," says Lamartine, "gray-haired men, were shut up legitimately and had been from family motives withdrawn from the judgments of the ordinary courts of law. Taverne and Withe, two of them, had become insane. The third was the Count de Solages, 32 years before sent to this prison at his father's request. Whether he had been guilty of some crime or was the victim of oppression was an inexplicable enigma. The other four prisoners had been confined only four years. They were arrested in Holland on the requisition of the bankers they had defrauded. These seven prisoners of the Bastille released, cared for, even crowned with laurels, carried in triumph by their liberators like living spoils snatched from the hands of tyranny, were paraded about the streets and their sufferings avenged by the people's shouts and tears. The intoxication of the victors broke out against the very stones of the place and the embrasures torn from the towers were soon hurled with indignation into the ditches."

The site of the Bastille is now marked by a lofty column of bronze dedicated to the memory of the patriots of July, 1789, and 1830.

FOR SALE—Small herd Aberdeen Angus cattle, team of horses, 2 and 3 years old, and a large team of 4-year-old horses. Mason & Wilderman. 9-tf

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FOR SALE—Two iron beds complete with springs and mattress, table, chairs, stands, etc. Can see them Saturday morning from 9 to 12. 411 North Mulberry. 27-29

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WANTS

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STRAYED—Fox terrier dog, small chain around its neck, spot on each side of head. Return to S. H. Williams, Dunn street, west Wabash freight, or county treasurer's office. 26-28

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WANTED—TO BUY 3,000 pounds of old rags, copper, rubbers and all kinds of old metal. R. C. Anthony, Hanamo 258 Red. 24-tf

FOR SALE—Modern 6-room house and 3 acres on Prather avenue. See Mrs. W. H. Davenport at Logan Holt's 6-6

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